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From:

Deborah. Easterling

Sent:

Tuesday, April 23, 2013 4:02 PM

To:

'Ashley Bogan'

Subject:

RE: I oppose Duke's latest rate hike for dirty energy

Dear Ms. Bogan,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2013-59-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling **Administrative Assistant**

----Original Message----

From: Greenpeace [mailto:info@wdc.greenpeace.org] On Behalf Of Ashley Bogan

Sent: Saturday, April 20, 2013 8:08 AM

To: PSC_Contact

Subject: I oppose Duke's latest rate hike for dirty energy

Apr 20, 2013

South Carolina Public Service Commission

Dear Public Service Commission,

I am an actual Duke Energy customer and I support solar and wind alternatives.

Yesterday I sent a check for over two hundred dollars to pay my bill for last month. In the two months prior to that I had to split up my payments over several paychecks to be able to pay my other bills as well. I cannot afford any more rate hikes.

My husband won a trip to Kauai and we were recently out there for a week and solar panels were everywhere. Not only were power bills much more affordable, but much cleaner to use and operate. Kauai is known as the garden island, and so they have a huge interest in keeping their air and soil clean to continue to draw tourists. North Carolina and South Carolina both draw tourism as well whether it's the Panther's stadium in Charlotte or Rainbow Row in Charleston. Keeping out air clean and our skies blue will ensure that tourists can come and breathe easy while seeing the sights in the Carolinas.

Duke should quit investing in dirty, old energy like coal and nuclear, and actually invest in the cheaper renewable technologies its executives claim to support. I want the Carolinas to be more energy efficient and powered by local wind & solar that will employ thousands of Carolinians.

Sincerely,

Ashley Bogan

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